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MEMORANDUM FOR: Omnibus NSCID Task Group Members

: Inclusion of Paragraph on ERDA Responsibilities SUBJECT

The following has been submitted for inclusion in the Omnibus NSCID by Richard L. Durham, Acting Assistant Director for Intelligence Analyses and Net Assessment, Division of International Security Affairs, AEC. It would be inserted as the next to last paragraph of the NSCID, before the present paragraph on the FBI. Numbering of the paragraph will depend upon decision as to the renumbering of paragraphs as proposed by DIA.

"Energy Research and Development Administration (ERDA)

The Energy Research and Development Administration shall produce energy intelligence to meet its responsibilities in formulating and implementing US national policies for all forms of energy research and development.

"b. The Energy Research and Development Administration shall be responsible for overt collection of energy research and development information through the use of technical exchange programs and wherever an Energy Research and Development Administration representative is posted abroad, and shall participate with the Department of State in formulating energy research and development collection requirements for the Scientific Attaches posted abroad. The Energy Research and Development Administration will participate with other United States Intelligence Board agencies and departments in formulating collection requirements where the special technical expertise of the Energy Research and Development Administration can contribute to such collection requirements."

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